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Dear Health Care Provider:

When women take even the simplest steps to improve their health, the results can be significant. My office, in collaboration with the Arizona Department of Health Services (ADHS), has created the Arizona Women's Health Week campaign to raise awareness about women's health issues and to foster collaboration between health care providers, state, local, and tribal government, and social service organizations.

Arizona Women's Health Week is May 14-20, in concert with a national effort by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services to raise awareness about manageable steps women can take to improve their health. For more information about the national effort, visit www.4woman.gov/whw/.

As Governor, I am writing to ask you to become a local partner in this effort. Providers can participate by providing free health services in their local communities, such as cholesterol, blood pressure, hearing, and bone density screenings. Providers can also sponsor an event such as a lecture, a discussion at a senior center, a wellness walk or jog. You might instead choose to host a health fair and provide instruction on topics such as healthy cooking and fitness. Participating providers will be published on the ADHS web site. To have your event published contact Catherine Hannen by email at channen@azdhs.gov or by telephoning 602-364-1474.

We are looking forward to working with you to make Arizona Women's Health Week a great success! Thank you in advance for your dedication to the health of Arizona women.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Janet Napolitano", written in a cursive style.

Janet Napolitano
Governor